

# Maple

Scientific Computing  
CS 412  
(tutorial class)

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## Overview

- The vector either as a set of numbers enclosed by parentheses,  $\mathbf{u} = (1, 2, 3)$ , or as an  $M \times 1$  column.
- Vector Arithmetic:

$$\mathbf{a} = (ax, ay, az), \quad \mathbf{b} = (bx, by, bz)$$

$$\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} = (ax + bx, ay + by, az + bz)$$

$$\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} = (ax - bx, ay - by, az - bz)$$

$$-\mathbf{a} = (-ax, -ay, -az), \quad s\mathbf{a} = (sax, say, saz)$$

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## Representing Vectors

- In Maple just write the word vector then specify the content of the vector.

```
> x := Vector([8, 4, 6]);
```

$$x := \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

- We can get the value in a vector by write the place of value between brackets.

```
> x[1];
```

$$8 \quad (2)$$

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## Matrix

- Represent the matrices in Maple by writing Matrix, as shown below:

```
> A := Matrix([[1, 2, 3], [4, 5, 6], [7, 8, 9]]);
```

$$A := \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \quad (3)$$

- To find a specific value in the matrix we can write the number of row and column in brackets.

```
> A[2, 3];
```

$$6 \quad (4)$$

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## Matrices and Vectors

- Another way to show the vector is simply write a set of numbers between angel brackets.

$$\begin{array}{l} > x := \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle; \\ x := \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \end{array} \quad (5)$$

- An alternate, simplified syntax for defining a vector.

$$\begin{array}{l} > B := \langle \langle 1, 2 \rangle | \langle 3, 4 \rangle \rangle; \\ B := \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \end{array} \quad (6)$$

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## Vectors into Matrix

- We can define a set of numbers to each vector then combine them into single matrix.

$$\begin{array}{l} > u1 := \langle 1, 3, 4 \rangle : \\ > u2 := \langle 0, 2, 1 \rangle : \\ > u3 := \langle 6, 5, 8 \rangle : \\ > C := \langle u1 | u2 | u3 \rangle; \\ C := \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 6 \\ 3 & 2 & 5 \\ 4 & 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \end{array} \quad (7)$$

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## Vectors operations

- One of the most common uses of the dot-product is finding the angle between two vectors. The angles are orthogonal if and only if  $\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w} = 0$ .

```

> v1 := < 1/sqrt(3), 1/sqrt(3), 1/sqrt(3) > :
> v2 := < 1/sqrt(2), 0, -1/sqrt(2) > :
> v3 := < 1/sqrt(6), -2/sqrt(6), 1/sqrt(6) > :
> v1.v2;                                0                                (8)
> v1.v3;                                0                                (9)
> v2.v3;                                0                                (10)

```

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## Basics Functions

- Some basics functions in Maple (for e.g. sqrt, sin, cos).

```

> sqrt(2);                               √2                               (1)

```

```

> cos(0);                                1                                (2)

```

```

> sin(0);                                0                                (3)

```

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## Defining Functions

- A function is a "rule" for assigning a value to a number, to define a function in Maple, write  $f$  then assign the  $f$  to function by variable.

```
> f := x → x3;
f := x → x3 (4)
```

- Some operations in a defined function, we can put an arguments between brackets to compute the function.

```
> f(2.5);
15.625 (5)
```

```
> f(y);
y3 (6)
```

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## Compose Functions

- Define another function  $g$  with variable  $y$ , as shown below:

```
> g := y → sin(y);
g := y → sin(y) (7)
```

- Once we have defined two functions we can then compose them.

```
> f(g(x));
sin(x)3 (8)
```

```
> g(f(x));
sin(x3) (9)
```

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## Variables in Functions

- We can define functions of two or more variables, the variables must be in brackets separated by comma.

```
> f := (x, y) → x2 + y2;
      f := (x, y) → x2 + y2 (10)
```

- Compute the function of two variables to get the result of the variables.

```
> f(0, 0);
      0 (11)
```

```
> f(3, 4);
      25 (12)
```

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## Sets

- In Maple we can deal with sets, puts the elements of a set between  $\{ \}$ . The elements are not in order.

```
> S := {3, 7, 2, 4};
      S := {2, 3, 4, 7} (1)
```

- The repeated element in the set it will left out, as shown below:

```
> T := {1, 2, 2, 3};
      T := {1, 2, 3} (2)
```

- If you want to add an element to a set, use union.

```
> S := S union {9};
      S := {2, 3, 4, 7, 9} (3)
```

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## Sets

- We can use intersect to get the common element between two sets.

```
> {1, 2, 3, 4} intersect {3, 4, 5, 6};
      {3, 4} (4)
```

- The minus used to delete the common elements between sets.

```
> {1, 2, 3, 4} minus {3, 4, 5, 6};
      {1, 2} (5)
```

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## Lists

- A list is an ordered set, the elements of a list between [ ].

```
> A := [3, 9, 7, 5, 8];
      A := [3, 9, 7, 5, 8] (1)
```

- To get a particular value just write the position of the element in the list.

```
> A[3];
      7 (2)
```

```
> A[-2];
      5 (3)
```

- We can select specific elements by specify the begin and end position.

```
> A[2 .. -1];
      [9, 7, 5, 8] (4)
```

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## Add to list

- Add a value to a list, put the position between [] and assign to a value.

```
> A[2] := 1;
A2 := 1 (5)
```

- The position [2] now contains the added value, as shown below:

```
> A;
[3, 1, 7, 5, 8] (6)
```

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## For-loop

- The Maple can deal with loops, in the below for-loop shows a certain values as a list:

```
> for i in [3, 6, 2, 5, 7] do x := i; print('The value of x is', x); end do;
The value of x is, 3
The value of x is, 6
The value of x is, 2
The value of x is, 5
The value of x is, 7 (1)
```

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